

fashion, no sign that there is any kind of alcohol problem, that abstention from alcohol should not be any portion of that probation. Currently what takes place, in many cases, is that under the law the maximum penalty, if you were to get it, for revocation of your license would be six months. But there are probations that are given that exceed that six months, and the purpose behind the probation and sole purpose, in my opinion, is to deal with the issue of consumption of alcohol, even though that individual, and this is not just consumption of alcohol with regards to driving, this is consumption of alcohol at any time in your own home, when you're a passenger in another individual's car, when you're out to dinner, that is what the probation includes, and it exceeds, in a number of cases, the maximum penalty that would be allowed if you were to receive a suspension of your license for six months, which is the current maximum amount. It also goes into the issue of attending meetings for therapeutic purposes, but shall not include meetings for...of political, quasi political, or advocacy groups. In other words, under this amendment you could still be told, look, you need to go to an AA meeting, you need to attend AA meetings for purposes of understanding what this problem with alcohol is all about. That would be allowed, that's not excluded. What currently takes place in terms of orders by the court, in many cases, is that there are certain judges who are ordering individuals to attend MADD mothers meetings. In my opinion, MADD mothers is nothing more than a quasi political advocacy group. It is a group that has one intention in mind, it is a group that seeks prohibition, and that's clearly what the intent of that organization is all about. I don't know if you've been following the news lately, but the...one of the founding individuals in that organization, Kay Neal, who I've talked to on a number of occasions, was ousted from the MADD leadership because she said that a provision, a bill that we had dealing with allowing alcohol in limousines and on buses, what she termed to be the ultimate, ultimate designated driver, she felt was responsible legislation, that we ought to go about passing that in the Legislature. She condoned and supported that. The membership thought that that was heinous on her part to...to get involved in that. And she also sat on a...agreed to sit on a group that, at the national level, that took money from the alcohol industry, but dealt with the issue of DWI laws and the whole issue of the abuse of alcohol. And she felt that it was important to be involved, and that MADD mothers should be involved. The fact that some of the money came from the alcohol industry, in her opinion, did not...not taint the process. The